

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 166
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Requested by Senator Dick Barrett

For the Senate Highways and Transportation Committee

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1. Title, page 1, line 5.

Following: "FIREFIGHTERS;"

Insert: "REQUIRING THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO ASSIST IN IMPLEMENTING
THE FEE WAIVER FOR PURPLE HEART-TYPE AWARDS AND TO PROVIDE
GUIDANCE TO PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER'S OR FIREFIGHTER'S
ORGANIZATIONS; PROVIDING RULEMAKING AUTHORITY;"

2. Title, page 1, line 6.

Strike: "A DELAYED"

Insert: "AN"

3. Page 1, line 11.

Following: "definitions"

Insert: "-- rules"

4. Page 1, line 16.

Strike: "the"

Insert: "a"

Strike: "heart"

Insert: "heart-type award,"

5. Page 1.

Following: line 29

Insert: "(d) "Purple heart-type award" means an award that is
similar to the purple heart medal awarded by the armed
forces and that is issued by a recognized public safety
officer's or firefighter's organization to any public safety
officer or firefighter who is disabled as a result of a
duty-connected injury."

Renumber: subsequent subsection

6. Page 1, line 30.

Following: "means"

Insert: "the employer or governing body that employs a public
safety officer or firefighter and"

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7. Page 2.

Following: line 2

Insert: "(4) The attorney general shall:

(a) adopt rules to implement the provisions of this section, including describing:

(i) the types of duty-connected injuries that may be considered when determining eligibility for a purple heart-type award; and

(ii) the type of recognized public safety officer's or firefighter's organization that the attorney general may designate as an organization that represents and is dedicated to honoring the service of public safety officers or firefighters; and

(b) maintain and make readily available lists of the types of duty-connected injuries described in subsection (4)(a) and the recognized public safety officer's and firefighter's organizations designated by the attorney general; and

(c) assist public safety officer's and firefighter's organizations in designing criteria or programs for purple heart-type awards."

8. Page 6, line 4.

Strike: "January 1, 2014"

Insert: "July 1, 2013"

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